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## SANTA BUSTED!

(STORY INSIDE)

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE NATIONAL LIBERATION FRONT OF SOUTH VIETNAM – FOUNDED DEC. 20, 1960

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## BROTHER SANTA BUSTED

**The first district tactical unit pigs proved, once again, that no one is free from the arm of repression. On December 2nd, they vamped on brother Santa. Santa was doing his annual job of helping out kids who don't have it too good. That's most kids, and it's a very big job (and the pigs don't make it any easier).**

**Santa was on State Street around 4 o'clock, raising money for a hospital in Quang Ngai, Vietnam, for children who have been crippled by US bombings. The people downtown were letting him know that they really dug him being out on the street, helping our friends in Vietnam, rather than sitting in some**

**department store, helping the capitalists add more Christmas profits to their bulging pocketbooks. They were responding, in the true Christmas spirit, by giving their quarters and dollars to the suffering children of Vietnam.**

**But, it was too much for the pigs, as they don't want people being reminded that the air bombing is heavier than ever in Vietnam, despite Nixon's lies about "winding down" the war. And they don't want people to know that our government is responsible for more and more mutilated children, everyday. And it was too much for the pigs, that people were giving their bread and showing their love for our little sisters and brothers in Vietnam, rather than spending it all in the fat department stores.**

**So, four pigs, headed by plainclothesmen Nowakowski & Nolan, threw Santa i n the paddy wagon and spent an hour at the station looking through the books until they found a "law" they could book him on.**

**So, it's going to be another bleak Christmas for most kids. It's not enough that the government freezez our wages, cuts our welfare, takes our food stamps, ends our medical care, and continues to murder (in our name) in Indochina - - they've got to make it impossible for even Santa to serve the people, by locking him up for Christmas.**

**END THE WAR NOW!**
**ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!**

**p.s. - for those who didn't get a chance to check out Santa downtown and want to help out with the Quang Ngai hospital, you can send money to:**

**People's Santa**
**AFSC**
**407 S. Dearborn**
**Chicago, Ill. 60605**

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## 6 TRAY PANTHERS

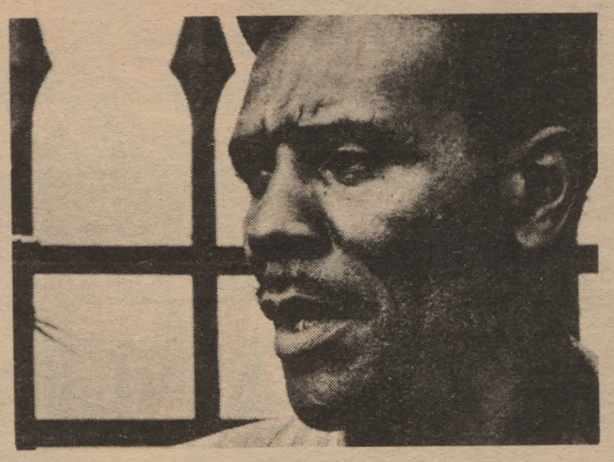
There is a 14th district pig that is challenging Keating for the position of "top pig" and no. 1 enemy of the people. The pigs name is "Trigger" and he is definitely an enemy of the people.

He's a stone racist and continually hassles black people around the neighborhood. In particular, a short time ago a black brother was on the corner of Armitage and Western rapping to a white sister. "Trigger" came along and freaked. He busted the brother. Another time he picked 3 of us up for no reason. One of us was black - so he cut the other 2 loose and charged the black brother with disorderly. "Trigger" continually comes around the neighborhood and harasses this one black brother, busting him for nothing other than he's black.

Besides being such a racist, "Trigger" is quick on the draw. One night a bar tender called the pigs because he thought there was going to be a humbug in the tavern. Well, the fight never happened and everything was cool until "Trigger" and his fellow fascists arrived on the scene. "Trigger" jumped out of his gold Chevy with 2 guns drawn and lined everybody up against the wall. The thing is, that right in front of the tavern is a bus stop and he lined all the people who were waiting for the bus up against the wall, frisked them and threatened them with a bust - for waiting for the bus.

"Trigger" has also declared that he's going to lock the 6 Tray Panthers up. Now he didn't say he was going to lock people up for doing something illegal. What "Trigger" said was, he was going to lock people up for their beliefs and their friends. That's how this pig operates. The thing is, "Trigger" doesn't scare anyone. He's educating the people as to how racist and fascist this society is. People clearly recognize that "Trigger" doesn't serve and protect them and one day "Trigger" will no longer harass anyone because he will have vamped on the people once too often. And the people can only take so much before they strike back and destroy their oppressor!
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

## AMERICANS DON'T HAVE MUCH FAITH IN BUSINESS



There are some new statistics put out by the Harris Survey that show what the American public thinks of American business now - as compared to 5 years ago when the government was still able to pull the wool over most people's eyes.

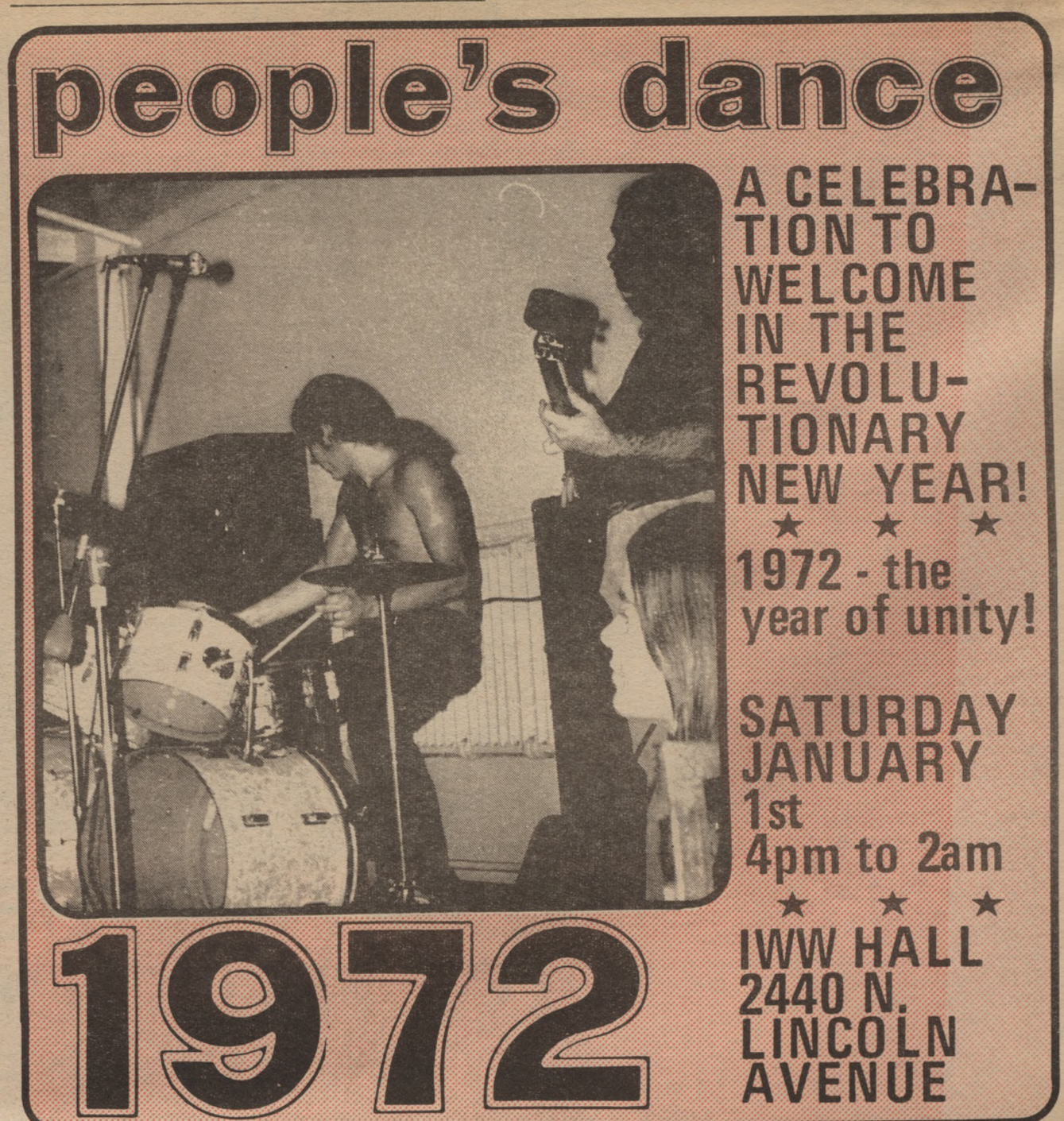
Does business offer young people a chance to get ahead?
In 1966---73% said yes---22% said no.

Does American business bring better quality products to people?
In 1966---75% said yes---today only 47% still think so.

Does business help control air and water pollution?
In 1966---35% said yes---today only 28% keep blind faith.

Has business been a help in eliminating economic depression?
75% thought so in '66---today only 36% are fooling themselves.

In 1966, 63% thought American business would help wipe out poverty. In 1971, all but 39% are aware that poverty isn't helped by business. The only business to get into, today, is the people's business - revolution!



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## BROTHER MIKE JAMES TARGET OF THE PIGS

Rising Up Angry is a people's revolutionary orgainization. Our members have dedicated their lives to struggling against this system in order to build a new society. We've been attacked and repressed in many ways: arrested on phony charges; beaten in the lockup; railroaded by judges; harassed by city officials; and had our families hassled by the FBI. The fascists are trying to weaken and slow down our struggle. Instead, they strengthen us. Every time we're attacked by the fascists, we intensify our work and our commitment. And one thing is certain - when Rising Up Angry is attacked, one way or another, we fight back!

Recently, the life of one of our brothers in the organization has been threatened. The brother, Mike James, has been the target of the pigs for a long time. We've become aware of a plot to murder brother Mike. We know who is involved in this plot. They're pigs and pig's lackeys. They are also fools who are risking their lives while fighting on the wrong side - fighting against the people. They are accepting money to betray their people and help the rich ruling class stay in power. They'll soon find that this blood money is not worth it.

We are always prepared for an attack by the fascists in the government, or by their flunkys. We are ready now. Brother Mike will not be that easy to get, because he is not alone. This is not a personal duel. We've got an organization and we've got support from the people. We can only say that attempts on the lives of Rising Up Angry members, whether they are successful or not, will not go unanswered. Our work will not slow down.
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!
Central Staff, Rising Up Angry

## BROTHER BRUTALLY BEATEN AT AMPHITHEATRE

Some brothers and sisters from Chicago and Pulaski went down to the Amphitheatre to check out one of the rip-off rock concerts there. One brother went up on the roof to try to sneak in. Two plain-clothes cops came after him and started slapping him around with weighted gloves. They asked for an ID and he jumped off the roof onto the next roof and got away.

About an hour later, this brother was walking down the street outside, when the same two cops saw him and started to chase him. About ten pigs caught him and threw him against a fence and beat him with clubs and blackjacks. Three black brothers saw this and yelled, "Hey, leave him alone" and the cops busted them. After the cops beat him into the fence, they bounced his head against the roof of a squad car a few times and then took him to the lockup.

This brother is now charged with two counts of battery and resisting arrest. The police have the nerve to claim that he hit them! The police do not serve and protect us. They serve and protect the rich. This is why we need a legal program. If you need help or if you want to help out with the program, call 472 - 1791, Rising Up Angry.
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!
NO POWER TO THE PIGS!

## A MESSAGE TO THE YOUNG GANG BANGERS:

During the past couple of weeks we've learned of new tensions and fights between some of the younger brothers from different parks and so-called "gangs" on the northwest side.

Here are some of the things that were supposed to have happened:

The "Kozy Kings" are supposed to have jumped some Kilbourne Park "Gaylords" who were just walking through Kozy Park.

The "Gaylords" are supposed to have returned and done a job on these "Koxy Kings," including using a bullwhip on some sisters.

A "Kozy Simon City" is supposed to have shot a Gaylord" in Kilbourn Park.

The Kilbourn Park "Gaylords" are supposed to be going to get even with the "Kozy Simon Cities" - or the "Kozy Kings" - or whatever they are called.

Some "PVP's," who also call themselves "R&B (Rowdy Boys) are supposed to be after some "Kozy Kings."

These same "PVP's" or "R&B's" are supposed to have been jumped by some "Popes."

These are a few of the confusing and always glorified "gang-banger" horror stories we've heard in the past weeks. We often hear rumors like these - some are true and some are false. We meet and talk with people who are supposedly involved in such incidents. The stories are usually conflicting and always over glorified. Each side says they are right, that they are all peace loving, (noone ever cops an attitude, right?) and only defending their turf (like their name on some wall that's owned by a downtown bank). Everyone has a different story, and some of the the accounts that seem the most factual turn out to be told by people who were not even on the scene.

Now, some young brothers in this gang or that park are going under the false idea that Rising Up Angry takes sides in these b.s. affairs. No brothers; we've got more important things to do than take sides in reactionary gang bopping, because we are for the people. Your gang banging only weakens the people by dividing them. You only weaken yourself.

Rising Up Angry takes sides based on revolutionary principles. We side with the people who stand up to the police and to the greedy landlords, businessmen and bankers. We take the side of the sisters who demand to be treated with respect and equality. We take the side of the prisoners who stand up to the likes of Nixon and Rockefeller. We take the side of the workers who stand up to the foremen and bosses. And we take the side of the brothers who refuse to fight in Nam.

Rising Up Angry takes the side of the people, all the people - Black, Brown, Yellow, Red and white. That's why we say All Power to the Brothers and Sisters who Love the People and Fight the Real Enemy! So brothers and sisters, dig that you are the people, and that we will take your side when you get your act together and begin Serving the People instead of serving the pigs by fighting each other. In the spirit of working together in the future, we say to you:
TAKE THE CHAIN FROM YOUR BRAIN AND GET BACK IN THE PEOPLE'S GAME.
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

## ST. LOUIS BROTHERS AND SISTERS

Some brothers and sisters in St. Louis have been getting together and passing out old Angrys and selling new Angry's in the highschools and neighborhoods there. They also have gotten a political education group together and are working on getting some "Serve the People" programs started. These brothers and sisters visited Angry a couple of weeks ago and joined Friend of Angry organization-later other of their friends did the same. They brought some news and pictures from St. Louis highschools. The following article is one. Watch the paper for more grapevine from the right on "Friends of Angry" in St. Louis!

## CLEVELAND H.S. - SOUTH ST. LOUIS

Many people think that Cleveland H.S. is very deep in Nazi land. That's because Cleveland is considered by most people to be too tough to distribute papers in. But, we have been distributing RUA's at Cleveland for about a month now, and we know ht that there are many people at Cleveland who have been trounced on by the fascist principal, Mr. Hutssel.

The latest victim of his repression was brother Steve Gumm. Hutssel has 3 new undercover policemen who fry and spy on the students. One of these pigs (we haven't discovered his name yet) squeeled that bro. Steve had a nickel bag of weed in his locker. When Hutssel learned of this, he deliberately and intentionally broke his promise that he would never open a student's locker without the student being there. On November 12th, Hutssel used a chain-link saw to break into bro. Steve's locker, without Steve being there. This pig-headed principal found Steve's stash and had him arrested. As a result of this illegal bust, bro. Steve may get kicked out of school and put in jail for an indeterminite sentence. The students of Cleveland H.S. understand the repression that's going on and we refuse to buckel under to it. We will continue to read RUA's and learn the truth about the revolution in America.
Repression Breeds Resistance!
-Cleveland H.S. students

# TO LOVE WE

## NIXON KEEPS THE WAR GOING

Nixon keeps running these lies to us about how he's been "winding down" the war in Indochina and how soon there will be no more U.S. involvement in Vietnam. Well, the facts just don't support what Nixon says.

Troop withdrawal, for Nixon, means an increase in the bombing- which means the continued U.S. aggression in Indochina. Already the U.S. has dropped 552,292 tons of bombs on S.E. Asia, in 1971 alone. And the Nixon administration has dropped more tons of bombs on Indochina in 3 years than the Johnson administration did. Yet, Nixon calls this winding down the war. The pig is a liar!

Another way of looking at the cost of the war is in human lives. Bombs don't care who they fall on they kill anyone-not just soldiers. So the bombing of Indochina has caused thousands and thousands of deaths. This is in fact, a war against all of the people of Indochina. The war is also killing Americans. During Richard the Pig Nixon's administration 15,000 Americans have been killed and 109,600 injured. That is hardly a winding down of a war.

What Nixon does is lie to the American people and then expect us to believe him. Well, we've been lied to too often. Too many innocent people have been killed and too many bombs dropped in our name for us to let the pentagon and politicians convince us that the war is almost over. It is up to each one of us to keep the pressure on to withdraw all troops and military weapons (including plans and bombs) from Indochina now!

End the War!

'WITHDRAWAL'

## REMEMBER

They took away the rock festivals,
remember how great they were.

Remember the Electrick Theater, the
Aragon. They're gone too.

Then we had the Syndrome...
They stopped us there.

We gathered at the parks and
beaches. They harassed us and
threw us out.

There were a few of us that
knew what was coming and did not wait.

But, soon you will all see that there's
only one place left to go.....
TO THE STREETS!

--People's Army

## HOLSTEIN PARK

Recently, two brothers from the neighborhood were busted on charges of armed robbery. The way these busts were made is an example of the pigs hatred for the people. The first brother was picked up for questioning about 10:30 one night by the 14th district pigs. He was put in a lineup the next night. Dig this now - this brother is about 5'8" and had dark clothes on while the other men in the lineup were all 6' and had white t-shirts on. The Shakespeare cops thought this phoney lineup would work but the old drunk,who said he got robbed, insisted that this brother wasn't the one - even though the pigs kept pointing him out. So, they had to use another trick. They told the old man to sign a "release" for the brother. The old man, drunk, signed it. It turned out to be a complaint.

The next night, the second brother got picked up on the same beef. Together their bail was $1,000. The cops case is ridiculously phony. The brothers and sisters at Holstein Park (as all people) are tired, tired, tired of the pigs and their lies, clubs and guns. We, the people, must control the police. To do that we must have unity or the cops will rip us off one by one.

## KELLY HIGH SCHOOL

There are a lot of hip brothers and sisters at Kelly High School, which is a good thing because there are a lot of racist teachers at that school who have to be dealt with. One in particular, is Mr. Zagorski. As one Chicano brother said, "He gets smart with you and if you answer back and you happen to be Mexican, he starts running down all this racist stuff about Mexicans. And he always makes sure that he runs down this filth in front of a group of whites."

Apparently there are some whites at Kelly who are still hung up in the OLD ways - "Superwhite" is right kind of b.s. But, according to the Chicanos, these racists represent only one group of whites. The others are hip to what's happening and are willing to help if a Chicano is messed with. We say right on - for the strength and power of the people is in their unity.
Zagorski's got to go!
POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

## FASCIST PUT ON SUPREME COURT

When William Rehnguist was nominated for the Supreme Court by Nixon, it seemed like a bad joke. Not that I have any faith in the U.S. system of justice, it's just that I didn't think even Nixon could be so blatant about appointing such an open racist and avowed fascist in such a high position. And now the Senate has approved him by a vote of 68 to 26!

REHNQUIST AT SENATE HEARING

As a law clerk to Supreme Court Justice Robert Jackson Rhenquest wrote up an opinion in 1954 saying that segregation should be maintained. Even the Supreme Court couldn't go along with this racist thinking and ruled that segregation was illegal. But that didn't stop Rhenquest, racist pig that he is, and in 1964 he was still fighting against the rights of minorities by approving a law in Phoenix, Arizona (his home town) that would allow all people equal access to public accomodations. His whole career has been one of opposing black people's demands for equal rights-he is an obcessed racist. And now he is supposed to set on the highest court telling us what's right and wrong!

Besides being a racist, Rhenguest is also actively in favor of a police state. He worked in the Justice Department and helped design may of the most fascist policies of Nixon's administration. He is in favor of wiretapping, preventative detention and no knock laws. Rhenquist's whole life and whole career have been based on his belief that the people have no rights that the pigs must respect.

The appointment of Rhenquist to the Supreme Court gives the court a majority of fascists. So the underlying fascism of the legal system-that is now disguised in liberal rhetoric-will become spelled out in Supreme Court decisions.

Ni on's appointment and the Senate's approval show how far they will go to reinforce their control over us. It also shows how little respect they have for our rights. We must continue to resist the increasing legal repression brought down on us and we must intensify our efforts to organize and mobilize the people to rid ourselves once and for all of all these fascist dogs that are running the country now.

## DISTEMPER KILLS YOUR PETS

Distemper is a common disease that effects dogs and cats. It is usually fatal and almost impossible to cure. Hundreds of unvaccinated pets die every week from it. The only way to prevent distemper is by vaccination (a shot) before the animal is exposed. But, many people don't get the shots for their pets because a vet charges $10 to $15 to give the shot even though the vaccine only costs $1.00.

Therefore, Rising Up Angry and people from the Lakeview community will have a free Distemper Clinic in the beginning of January. So, if your pet hasn't had it's shots yet, please contact us the first week in January to find out where to bring your dog or cat for the shot.
CALL RISING UP ANGRY 472 - 1791
(Donations are welcome as we do have to pay $1 a shot)

# MUST FIGHT

## UNSAFE WORKING CONDITIONS KILL 4 WORKERS

Last October, 4 workers were killed in an explosion in a grain elevator at the General Mills Complex at 10459 S. Muskegon. The workers were doing their job when there was an explosion and fire that trapped them in the elevator and took their lives. On Friday, December 10th, the Cook County coroners jury ruled the deaths "accidental" saying the cause of the explosion and fire was "undetermined." However, an attorney for one of the dead men claimed that the fire was caused by a spark from a defective conveyor belt. And Chester Charzawski, the elevator superintendent, told the jury that the conveyor belt was 15 years old, was badly worn and was malfunctioning just before the explosion. Yet the jury ignored this testimony, which would have fixed the blame where it belongs, directly on the shoulders of the multi-million dollar General Mills Co.

It's not surprising that the Cook County coroner's jury would rule the death of 4 workers and accidental death. This is the same jury that, everytime a pig shoots somebody,in the back, says that it's justifiable homicide. The murder of workers by unsafe working conditions is no more a reason for concern to the coroners jury than the murder of some young brothers by a pig. The job of the jury is to protect the ruling class. It would cost the ruling class (the people who own and control the big corporations) lots of money to improve the working conditions at all of the factories they run. Increased cost means less profit for the rich. But working conditions that are unsafe mean death and injury to us. So, when the bosses look at the world, they decide they would rather sacrifice workers lives than some of their own profits. And the coroners jury then rules this as "accidental."

Well, we know that the 4 deaths at General Mills and the thousands of other deaths and injuries to workers aren't "accidental" - they are a result of a system that makes profit for the few more important than the lives of the workers. The only way to end these "accidents" (murders) is for the workers to organize ourselves and begin to take control of our factories and eventually of the country, so we can build a society where the needs of the people (like the need to stay alive and healthy) come before the greeds of the rich.

POWER TO THE WORKERS!
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

## OFF - DUTY PIG CAUSES ELDERLY MAN'S DEATH

John Molloy, 24, is a pig - off-duty and on. He broke down the door of Harry Weiner's (64) apartment causing Mr. Weiner to have a heart attack and die. Molloy said he realized he was in the wrong apartment after he broke down the door and he left - he left Mr. Weiner to die! And what is this off-duty pig doing going around breaking doors down anyway? If he had broken down the "right" door he probably would have shot someone - someone as innocent as Mr. Weiner.

Off-duty pigs are even more dangerous than on-duty pigs because you can't recognize them by their uniform and you can't be on guard against them. Off-duty pigs are always shooting up some bar or shooting people in the street. And they always get about as heavy a rap as Molloy did - disorderly conduct and damage to property.

OFF THE PIG!
OFF-DUTY PIGS INCLUDED!

## PBC

In the last issue of RUA (vol.3,no.6) there was a story about the community petition against a pig named Hippert and police brutality in general in the area. The petition was never presented because Ald. Simpson and Commander Nolan of the 17th Dist. were afraid to meet the people. But Nolan was freaked out enought about the petition to make a few token changes. For example, Officer Hippert was transferred from the area and the overt police brutality and harrassment has stopped. In it's place the police have become more discreet in there brutality. The following story is a case of brutality and harassment that happened on December 12th and is just another example of fascism in this country.

It was about 11:00 pm. when two brothers were walking home from a party. Both brothers are 18, and they were about ½ a block away from home, when 2 policemen pulled up to them. The police said, "Where're you going?" The brothers answered that they were going home. Then the police jumped from their car and grabbed the brothers and threw them up against the squad. They tried to hand cuff one brother because he kept asking if he was arrested, and if he wasn't arrested, they'd better take their hands of him. The police really got up-tight when they realized this brother knew his rights, but they refused to answer him and instead, one cop grabbed the brother and held him while the other cop worked over his face with his fists. Then the brothers were handcuffed and brought down to the Town Hall station where they were cdnstantly harassed and threatened.

The police constantly say they are going to crush and kill anybody who dares to stand up and say that the police are fascists. They tried to do this with the brothers that night, leaving him with bruises and a black eye. It is necessary to understand the tactics that the police are using in the community. One of them is to try to catch people when they are alone at night and try to intimidate people by brutalizing them in order to change their thinking about a united community. They will also pick certain people out and bust them all the time. While, they will be nice to other people and try to do favors for them. They hope this will divide the neighborhood, with some people saying that they are the only ones going to

jail because of the struggle, while others are not. We must not let this tactic divide us and we must be constantly aware of it. For one thing, and attack on one brother or sister is an attack against the entire community. We must always realize that our struggle is one, and by unity - victory is ours. Divided - we will be conquered.

In the spirit of unity, PBC and Hamlin Park, two neighborhoods who had serious difficulties earlier this year, have come together. The two neighborhoods have formed a football team that, as of this writing, is undefeated.

UNITY BRINGS VICTORY!
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

## ALVERNIA

Even the Catholic Church is going through changes! Besides going broke (for a long time it's been the single richest landowner in the US), it's children are questioning - and sometimes rebelling inside the walls.

Every good Catholic family is encouraged to send their kids to Catholic school. And if the family pulls their kids out, it's always assumed it's because they don't have enough money to send them

## ALVERNIA (con't.)

anymore. But last year, several girls at Alvernia were fed up with the out-of-date puritanical schooling and worked out an experimental education program. It got passed, on trial. It's called Experiment: Wonder. Since it's a lot looser, the sisters (girls) have time to think and take part in community struggles. Several sisters helped in the alternative schools that got set up when Murphy Grade School went on strike. They've brought the struggle to the surface about what education should be - uniforms, catechism and law & order, or, questioning, learning the truth and growing. A committee has been set up to work out a better plan for the whole school next year and the students have demanded a voice in the planning.

Knowing what's going on in the world, the sisters have been bringing a lot of new ideas into the classroom. Revolution, RUA, China, pig brutality, women's liberation, etc. Sisters have been buying and selling RUA papers, joined Friends of Angry, worked on dance decorations and have gotten rap sessions going in their neighborhoods and they are getting out the word about Serve the People Programs. All power to the vanguard (those who move first) sisters!

This fall, we've been meeting a lot of brothers and sisters from Catholic schools all over the city - Madonna, St.Pat's, St. Benedict's, St. Rita's, Good Council, St. Mary's, Immaculata - just to name a few, who dig the revolution. The Berrigan brothers are now serving time in prison for taking actions against this government and it's war policies. (The Berrigans are Catholic priests). A Columbian priest named Camilo Torres became a revolutionary hero of his people. He said:

"I took off my cassock to be more truly a priest. The duty of every Catholic is to be a revolutionary. The duty of every revolutionary is to make the revolution."

—Camilo Torres Restrepo

## PEOPLE'S NIGHT IN LAKEVIEW

**PEOPLE'S NIGHT IN LAKEVIEW**
**THURSDAY NIGHTS -- 7:30 to 9:30 (or later)**
**CHURCH of the HOLY COVENANT**
**2744 N. WILTON (at DIVERSEY and WILTON)**
**SEE YOU THERE!**

People in Lakeview, with some brothers and sisters from Rising Up Angry, have begun a regular People's Night in the church at 2744 N. Wilton. (Same place as the Fritzie Englestein Free People's Center).

It's a time to get together and relax, listen to some music and rap. Sometimes there are special things to talk about, like drugs or a movie about G.I.s, but mostly, people come to rap to other brothers and sisters in the area about things on their mind.

POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

# PEOPLE'S GRAPEVINE

## DECEMBER 4th PANTHER RALLY

Chairman Bobby Seale of the Black Panther Party came to Chicago on December 4th for a rally at the end of Survival Week. It was the second anniversary of the murder of Fred Hampton and Mark Clark, by the state's assassin, Edward Hanrahan and his raiders.

The Panthers gave away 5,000 bags of free food, many pairs of free shoes and gave people tests for sickle cell anemia, which is a disease that affects the black community.

Chairman Bobby talked about why the Panthers have programs to serve the people. He said that Black and other oppressed people don't have the basic needs like food and clothing and health care and that the capitalists can't and won't take care of our needs so we're going to have to get together and have a revolution. The Panthers are organizing all kinds of free programs to serve the people and the pigs are always trying to shut them down. So, Bobby said, the people will defend their programs and if the pigs get too heavy - they may start a Free Guns for the People Program.

The pigs thought that by killing Chairman Fred and Mark Clark, they would kill the people's spirit and make them afraid. But the spirit of Fred wasn't killed, and now 2 years later more people are revolutionaries. The people are stronger and the peoples programs are growing. Revolution lives in the hearts of all oppressed people.
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

## HANRAHAN RUNS AGAIN - IN SPITE OF THE PEOPLE

Edward Hanrahan is one of the most hated men in the Black community (and he's less than liked in most of the white communities). So what better choice could Daley make in order to prove his utter contempt for the people, than to reslate Hanrahan for election? That's what he did - and he isn't going to talk to anyone about it (and a lot of people want him to talk about it because it's such a blatant, fascist move). State's Assasin Hanrahan is under indictment for conspiracy to obstruct justice when he should be under indictment for murder. He is a liar and a fool. He ordered his men to murder Fred Hampton and Mark Clark and then he "exclusively" told the Tribune how brave his men were under all this heavy gunfire from the apartment where Fred, Mark and several other brothers and sisters were sleeping. He had his picture taken in front of the apartment, pointing to all the bullet holes that the Panthers had made while firing on his men. Then, the next picture of Hanrahan that comes to mind,is the picture of total contempt and hatred he had for the people who went to the apartment where Fred and Mark were shot and found

## HANRAHAN (con't.)

all those bullet holes were nail heads. That, in fact, the only bullet holes, anywhere, were the ones that were made by the "raiders" who opened fire on the sleeping people inside the apartment.

So, in spite of the protests of the people, and some of them are government people, he has not resigned from his office because he is under an indictment, he just keeps storm trooping on. And now Daley has him up for election again. But when you think about it, Hanrahan is the perfect candidate for the modern day capitalists. He hates the people, he doesn't believe in listening to the people, and he will do anything (including murder) to keep the rich in power. This corrupt city machine can buy, steal and manipulate enough votes to win the election so it should be no surprise if Hanrahan stays on. But the people know that the real criminals are in public office and the masses of people can't change that through elections.

## RALLY AGAINST TAX FRAUDS AT DALEY'S OFFICE

Daley was supposed to participate in a dedication of a Nativity scene in city hall the other day, but he suddenly got too busy in his office. It could have had something to do with the fact that more than 100 members of Citizen's Action Program and others were demonstrating outside his office. It seems that one of Daley's dearest friends, P.J.Cullerton, the County Assessor, has been underassessing certain steel mills and other major Chicago businesses to the tune of $38 million dollars. That means that the city has lost $13 million in tax revenue.

A lot of city services have been in trouble the last few years because they depend on tax money to keep going. CTA fares now break us, welfare is being cut from a starvation allowance to a death sentence, and the schools may have to close down soon because there isn't enough money to keep these services going. The way the tax system is set up "legally" it rips off the people - but when these big corporations get into illegal tax frauds on top of their legal tax frauds - it wipes a lot of people out. As Father Dubi, one of the speakers at the rally, said, "we're just the tip of the iceberg" That's right - and the people are picking up a lot of speed in their move to crush the power-mad, money-hungry pigs.
ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

## HOW RUSSIANS REHABILITATE THEIR CONVICTS

The following letter was sent to the Tribune. It's a description of the prison system in the Soviet Union today:

Penal cities are located so far out in the midst of nowhere in Siberia that escape is impossible. There are no stone walls, barbed wire fences or armed guards. Access is by rail only. These are bustling industrial cities where the convicts work in factories and live in apartments with their families. If not married, they are permitted to marry. There is work for the wives and schools for the children. The men are given all the education and technical training that they are capable of absorbing. They are paid the same as they would receive for the same work on the outside. They shop in the stores for food and clothing of their own choosing. They lead such normal lives that many request to stay on after their sentences have been completed so that they may finish the projects in which they are involved.

Any discrimination by word or deed against a man after his release because of his having served time is severely punishable by law. All of which adds up to rehabilitation on a scale that is unknown in America.
Andrew Jackson Hunter

## 48 TEACHERS FIRED FROM WRIGHT

Governor Ogilvie has vetoed a bill that was to raise state aid to the Chicago City Colleges by 3.9 million dollars. Then, Chancellor Oscar Shabat, who is chief administrator of the city Board of colleges and is appointed by Daley, ordered 124 teachers and 12 civil service personnel fired. Shabat claims that 1.7 million dollars of the lost 3.9 million can only be made up by the mass firing of faculty and civil service people. At Wright College, President Clements is firing 48 people, that's over 1/3 of the total fired.

But, Norman Swenson of the Cook County College Teachers Union says there is enough money in the budget to cover financial needs without firing any teachers. He points out that, although Ogilvie's veto damages the educational process, the increases in student enrollment which brings in state aid revenue, along with money from increased registration this fall, will more than cover the 3.9 million and more than $100,000 will be saved due to the freeze on faculty raises that occurred through November 13th. In fact, the CCC Board projects an $85,000 surplus for the next budget period!

So, if the money is there, why has Shabat authorized the firings? Mr. Swenson thinks he's hip to Shabat's game. The college teachers have won a pay raise. Now, if Shabat can create a phony budget crisis, he can try to persuade the court that it's more important to rehire the fired teachers than grant the pay raises. In other words he seems to be trying to wipe out the union contract.

At Wright, each teacher fired represents 30 students who will be denied admission. Shabat, ready to cut costs anyway he can, suggests that the class size be increased. Everybody knows the class sizes are already too large. Some of the teachers have organized the Concerned Wright Teachers and will be distributing petitions protesting the mass firings. Students and community people can help by circulating these petitions and letting Shabat know what you think of his policies. For further information, contact Donald Sanborn of the Humanities Department at Wright.

## THE FOLLOWING STATISTICS ARE FROM THE LATEST "HARRIS POLL."

**'Under no circumstances will I be affected by mumphrumfrumphf'**

62% Of Americans favor withdrawing all forces from Vietnam by next May.

55% Of Americans oppose leaving 50,000 non-combat troops in Vietnam.

57% Of Americans oppose continued use of bombers and helicopters in Vietnam.

70% Of Americans are opposed to sending over $1 billion a year in military aid to South Vietnam.

NIXON! -- THE PEOPLE WANT AN UNCONDITIONAL END TO THE WAR! NOW!

# Why the police are called "PIGS"

Patrolman Theodore Mikrut, an 11 year veteran of the Chicago Police Department, was arrested on December 3rd, when the FBI raided a $25,000 a week gambling operation in Stickney, Illinois.

Patrolman Carlos Bruno, of Wood St. Station, was charged with murdering one man and wounding 2 others in a fight at the Newport Restaurant at 2725 W. North Ave.

More than 100 Chicago Policemen from 20 districts across the city are under investigation by their own police department.

The Federal Grand Jury investigating corruption in the Chicago Police Department will be calling in 23 policemen. Preliminary reports say that East Chicago, Town Hall, Foster Avenue, Shakespeare, Wabash Avenue, Grand Crossing, Fillmore and Marquette districts are being investigated. The charges cover a wide range of crimes against the people. For instance, a cop at Fillmore is reported to be selling dope out of his locker in the station. Other policemen have been implicated in shakedowns of tavern owners, bribery, extortion, narcotics, prostitution and gambling payoffs.

The so-called scandal that is beginning to surface is really nothing new. The same scandal surfaced a few years back in Chicago - the same scandal came to the surface a few weeks ago in New York - the same scandal comes to the surface everywhere in the country, every once in a while. Those of us on the streets know how brutal and corrupt the police are. We know that they sell dope, take bribes, burglarize houses and stores, harass and beat people and kill people. Everyone knows that $5 to $10 will get you out of a traffic ticket. So the scandal just underlines what Rising Up Angry has been saying all along - the police have no respect for their own laws and they violate them whenever they feel like it. But the corruption is so widespread and gross at this point that it can't be ignored.

The government and their top pigs, like Supt. Conlisk, try to explain that people have no respect for the police because a few bad individuals break the law and ruin the "good name" of all policemen. They think if they take some action against the "rotten apples" that the people will respect the police. Just the fact that they have to have such an investigation shows how weak and defensive they are, and they may come up with some demotions and even criminal charges for some police, but it's an attempt to trick the people. The real purpose of the investigation isn't to "clean up" the Chicago Police Department, but rather to win back the people's respect for the police. But the real problem with the police isn't just that they break their own laws, even if they followed the law exactly, they would be acting against the people.

The reason that the police are called pigs is because of the nature of their job. The problem is not this or that individual (even though some pigs are worse than others), the problem is that no matter how friendly an individual policeman is, even if he doesn't break the law, even if he only follows orders, his job is to "serve and protect" the ruling class. That is, to "serve" the rich by "protecting" their property. That means if you and your landlord have a dispute, the policeman must side with the landlord because that is how the law is written. It means if you go on strike and picket your factory, the police will be there, not to protect your right to strike, but to protect the factory owners property. If you have an argument with the owner of a restaurant and the police are called, they will side with the owner. Most examples that you can think of, the police, by law, are forced to side with the rich rather than the poor, the owners rather than the workers, the sellers rather than the buyers and the fat rather than the hungry. The police are really the military arm of the ruling class and their job is to make sure that those on top stay safe and those on the bottom (us) stay down, even though our demands are just.

This economic system places the property of the wealthy above the lives of the average people and the police violently enforce this policy. If someone shoplifts and runs, the police have the legal right to shoot that person and it's not unusual to see that happen. If a house is burglarized and the police suspect that a certain car full of people did it and the car won't pull over - then the police can shoot and kill them. A couple of months ago a pig named Keating killed 3 brothers for robbing a tavern. And the Big Pig, Richard J. Daley, told his police to "shoot to kill" any looters in his famous fascist tone. The point is that people are being legally "shot and killed" for crimes that would only carry a sentence of a short time in jail - crimes that are committed by desperate people - and some people are being murdered who haven't committed any crime at all, they were only suspected of committing a crime. But, in the interest of saving court costs and terrorizing the people, the police are under orders to shoot to kill, so even if a policeman does nothing illegal, even if he only follows orders - he places the interests of the rich and powerful tyrants above the interests of the rest of us and he enforces the value of property over the value of human life. That's why the policemen are called pigs!

The only way that a policeman would not be a pig is if he didn't follow orders. If he didn't shoot people for robbery; if he reported all violations of the law that his partners commit; if he stepped in everytime he heard some pigs in the lockup beating someone; if he put the interests of the people ahead of the greedy interests of the rich. There just aren't too many policemen like that. But, as the people's struggle for justice grows, some police will realize what they are doing and change sides. (In fact, in New York City, at least one policeman was sympathetic to the Puerto Rican revolutionary organization, The Young Lords Party, and told them who the pig infiltrators in their organization were and they were exposed for what they were.)

So, we don't think the federal investigation or the charges brought against individual policemen will solve the problem of police brutality and corruption any more than the last investigation did. We do hope that some of the worst pigs will be exposed and maybe kicked off the force so they can't brutalize us anymore. But, we know that until the system is changed, until police are servants of the people and controlled by the community, police will still be working against the interests of the people. They will continue to loose respect and they will continue to be offed as the people become clear on who our friends are and who our enemies are. Every day more people understand that the only solution - the only <u>real</u> solution - is revolution and that the pigs are the ones that are holding the guns against us and keeping us from attaining our freedom. Those policemen who don't quit or change sides will have to be eliminated by the people!

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

# RUA LEGAL PROGRAM

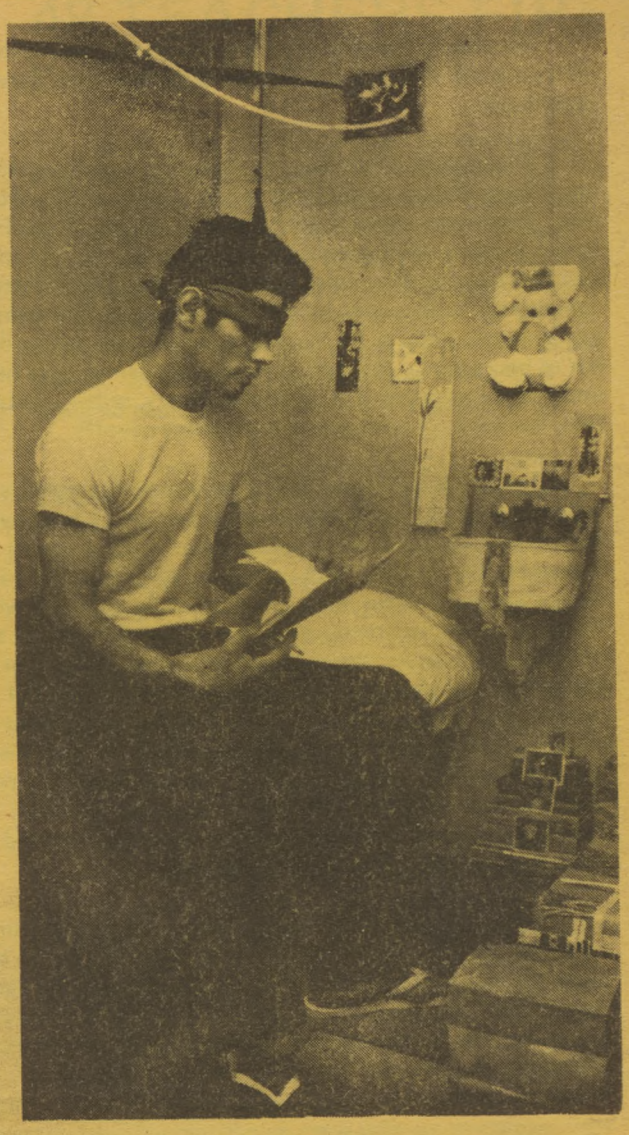
The Rising Up Angry legal program has been in existence for a little over a year now. In that time we have served hundreds of people by helping them in their battles in the fascist courts. We have also helped people with Welfare and housing problems and we've gotten some brothers out of the military. We are now in the process of expanding the legal program so that we can get more people from the neighborhoods involved in serving more people. Brothers and sisters from different areas all over the city who are in touch with the immediate problems in their communities, will be able to direct people to the Rising Up Angry Legal Program where we can help them and at the same time those brothers and sisters will grow stronger from the revolutionary spirit that they'll gain from serving the people.

But we are not only expanding our services to more communities in the city, we are also developing a strategy to deal with 3 main areas of corruption and brutality in the "legal" system. Police brutality - Juvenile rights - Prisoners rights. The reason we picked these 3 areas to focus on is because these are areas where some of the most pressing problems the people have to face exist in dealing with the judicial system. Police brutality is happening more and more everyday. The police don't try to hide their fascist tactics anymore because they want people to be afraid to speak out or afraid to move against injustice. Just the other day (Dec.15th) in court at 937 Wood St., some brothers were leaving court and were attacked visciously by Officer Grossman and about 20 other policemen. The brothers were beaten right inside the courtroom and had to be taken to the hospital afterwards. Just because one of the brothers (who Grossman knew and hated) had put his hat on as he was leaving the courtroom. Some people try to say these acts of brutality are only carried out by a few bad cops, but that's an obvious lie because there' are too many people being brutalized, terrorized and murdered by these fascists for there to be only a few bad cops.

Juvenile rights is becoming a heavy issue that we must struggle around because juveniles have no rights. They are supposed to get the best of the adult world and the juvenile world, but as it turns out, they get the worst. There are a lot of young kids now laying back behind bars because of running away from home or cutting school or because they are said to be incorrigible (you can be considered incorrigible for staying out past curfew). These young brothers and sisters are put behind bars where they are subject to such inhuman conditions that even a federal judge had to step in and demand to set up court down at Sheridan, a maximum security torture chamber for youthful offenders. What Judge Parsons is doing is alright, but he won't be able to continue the work he is trying to do because the government isn't going to let him continue to expose the system by letting the people know how juveniles are messed over.

**On the streets.....**

The prisons are in unbelievable condition. Look at Attica, where 43 men were killed by Nixon and Rockefeller for demanding to be treated like human beings. That could have happened,and almost did, at Joliet. The difference between the best and the worst prisons isn't enough to talk about. Prisons are supposed to rehabilitate people, but that's a joke - prison destroys people. And even if they did rehabilitate people, they'd be forcing people into living the way the government wants us to live. Capitalism tells us to be greedy and get what we can, even if you have to cheat your brother or sister. So, is that how we're going to rehabilitate people? Maybe we can use a model like Federal Court Judge (and ex-Governor of Illinois) Otto Kerner. He has just been indicted on 17 counts of bribery, fraud, etc. Or maybe we should all be like Hanrahan, who's conspired to kill Fred Hampton. (If rehabilitated people lived like them, at least there'd be less people in prison, because Kerner and Hanrahan and all the other politicians and businessmen will never go there.) The thing is, we can't rehabilitate prisoners - they're not the ones who need it. The ones who havt to be rehabilitated are the Nixons, Rockefellers and Daleys - not the people. So we will be exposing the brutal pigs more and more and we will be exposing the conditions in the Juvenile institutions and prisons and letting the people know what's going on and who's responsible. We will work any way we can to stop these fascists - by circulating petitions, organizing demonstrations, bringing suits against the government - anything to work toward liberating these oppressed people.



**And in the joint.**

By focusing on these 3 areas, we are not excluding anything else the legal program does. We will still get you lawyers and help you with your legal problems. If you want to work with our program, just call up our office, anyday.

RISING UP ANGRY LEGAL PROGRAM
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ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

THE BALLAD OF GEORGE JACKSON
-by Bob Dylan

I woke up this morning.
There were tears in my bed.
They killed the man I really loved,
Shot him in the head.

Lord, lord, they cut
George Jackson down.
Lord, lord, they laid
Him in the ground.

They sent him off to prison
For a $70 robbery.
They closed the door behind him,
And they threw away the key.

(chorus)

He wouldn't take shit from no one.
He wouldn't bow down on his knee.
Authorities they hated him
Because he was just too real.

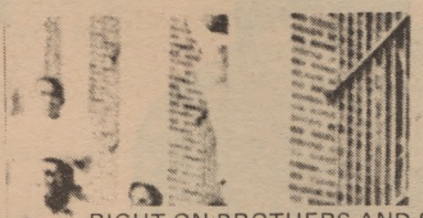
(chorus)

The prison guards they watched him
And they cursed him from above.
They were frightened by his power,
They were scared of his love.

(chorus)

Sometimes I think this whole
World is one big prison yard.
Some of us are prisoners,
Some of us are guards.

Lord, lord, they cut
George Jackson down.
Lord, lord, they laid
Him in the ground.

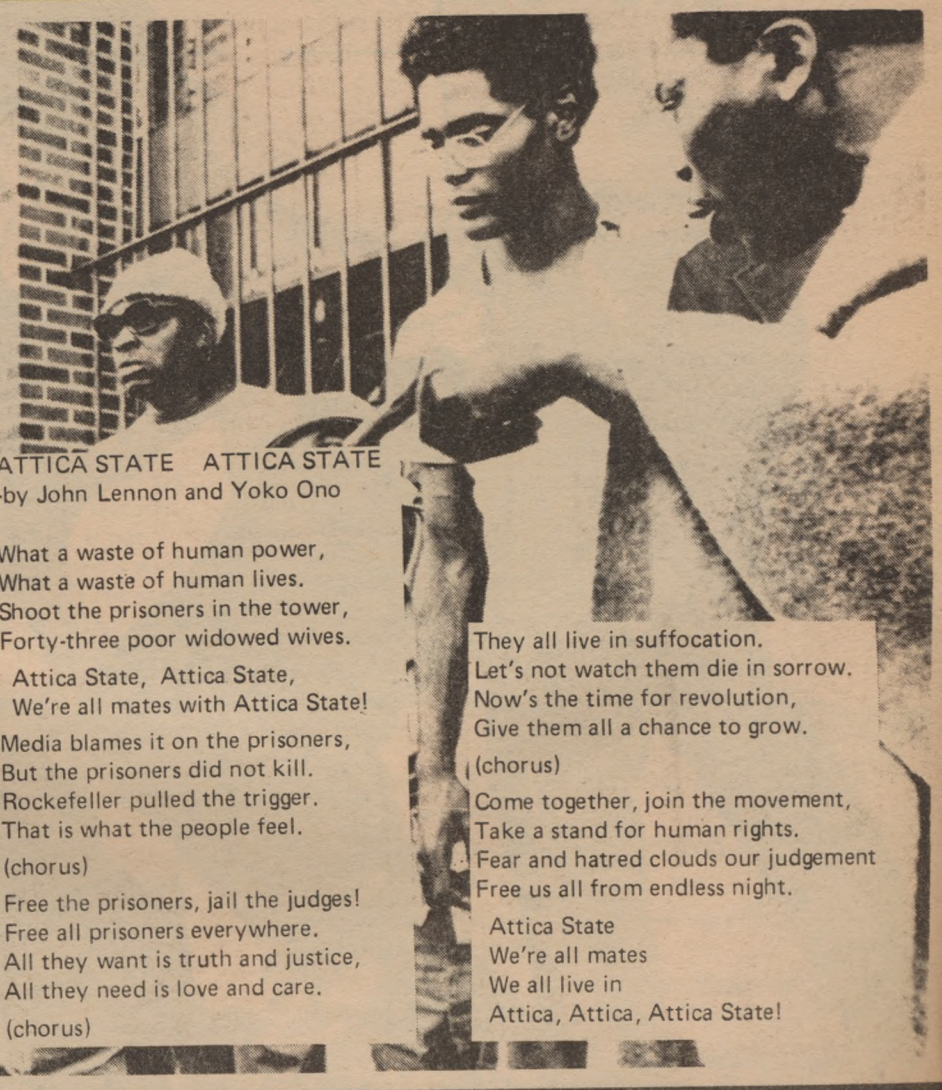


RIGHT ON BROTHERS AND SISTERS
by Jr. Walker & the All Stars
from the album - Rainbow Funk

Right on Brothers
Right on Brothers and Sisters
I'm so glad you're fighting back
So people can be people
White or Black
Right on Brothers and Sisters
Right on

Hold your head up high
Nobody's perfect
Everybody makes mistakes
with something right in all we done.
But we had to start the battle
To get it won.
Hey, right on Brothers and Sisters
Right on
Hold your head up high.

Right on Brothers
Right on Brothers and Sisters
I'm so glad we're fighting back
So people can be people
White or Black
Hey, right on Brothers and Sisters
Right on!
Don't you turn your back.



ATTICA STATE ATTICA STATE
-by John Lennon and Yoko Ono

What a waste of human power,
What a waste of human lives.
Shoot the prisoners in the tower,
Forty-three poor widowed wives.

Attica State, Attica State,
We're all mates with Attica State!

Media blames it on the prisoners,
But the prisoners did not kill.
Rockefeller pulled the trigger.
That is what the people feel.

(chorus)

Free the prisoners, jail the judges!
Free all prisoners everywhere.
All they want is truth and justice,
All they need is love and care.

(chorus)

They all live in suffocation.
Let's not watch them die in sorrow.
Now's the time for revolution,
Give them all a chance to grow.

(chorus)

Come together, join the movement,
Take a stand for human rights.
Fear and hatred clouds our judgement
Free us all from endless night.

Attica State
We're all mates
We all live in
Attica, Attica, Attica State!

# JOE HILL: a working class hero is something to be!

There is a new movie around about "Joe Hill" the man....not his politics. But, Joe Hill was a political man and he died for his politics. He believed that American workers should take power over their own lives and that workers should control the factories, have better wages, shorter working hours, better conditions and free speech. If you happen to see the movie, you won't have any idea how heavy the struggle was and how Joe Hill's songs carried the spirit of the worker's struggle to the people of the world.

## JOE HILL - THE POLITICAL MAN

Joe Hill joined the Wobblies (Industrial Workers of the World) in 1910. He soon became famous for his poetry and songwriting. While working as a mechanic, a dock-worker, or any other job he could find, he wrote songs to encourage and educate struggling workers. Joe became loved by the people - for his revolutionary spirit that was displayed in his songs, such as "There is a Power":

There is a pow'r, there is a pow'r
In a band of workingmen,
When they stand hand in hand
There is a pow'r, there is a pow'r
That must rule in every land -
One Industrial Union Grand.

and "Rebel Girl":

Yes, her hands may be harden'd from labor
And her dress may not be very fine;
But a heart in her bosom is beating
That is true to her class and her kind.
And the grafters in terror are trembling
When her spite and defiance she'll hurl.
For the only and Thoroughbred Lady
Is the Rebel Girl.

## JOE FRAMED

In the fall of 1913, Joe was working in a Utah copper mine in Bingham Canyon. The year before, the Western Federation of Miners had gone on strike to organize the Bingham mines, which had some of the worst working conditions in the country. The strike was defeated by company brutality and scabs. Meanwhile, the Wobblies were doing a lot of organizing in Salt Lake City. In June, 1500 Wobbly construction workers went on strike. Strike leaders were arrested and deported, but the strike won because railroadmen in the area refused to carry anyone without a Wobbly union card - no scabs could get in to break the strike. Soon after this, the Salt Lake City police chief declared war on the Wobblies, and started breaking up Wobbly meetings.

On Saturday, January 10th of 1914, at 9:45 pm, two men entered John Morrison's grocery store in Salt Lake City. They shot and killed Morrison while his son fired one shot back at the men. That night Joe Hill was shot in a bar in a fight over a woman.

A number of men were arrested on suspicion of the shooting of Morrison. Joe Hill was one of the suspects for the murder because he had been treated for a gunshot wound on the same night. When the police found out that Joe was a Wobbly, they released all the other suspects. Immediately after his arrest, the press started ranting and raving about how this radical anarchist must have done it, in much the same way that Ruchell Magee and Angela Davis are presumed guilty in the American press today.

Joe Hill, taken the night before he was executed.

Joe Hill was framed and there was no evidence against him. The main charge was that he was a Wobbly. The prosecution couldn't show why Joe would have committed the murder. The best they could do was produce witnesses that kept changing their stories, and none of them could identify Joe positively.

Joe's conviction and death sentence triggered a mass movement to stop the execution. Mass meetings in defense of the "worker's songwriter" sprung up all over the world. Almost every labor union in the country passed a resolution asking for a fair trial, and governments all over the world appealed to stop the execution. Even President Wilson asked for a stay of execution.

## LONG LIVE JOE HILL! ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!

Meanwhile, Joe faced death bravely and kept demanding a new trial. On his last day he sent many telegrams around the country. To the head of his Defense Committee he wrote "Tell the fellow workers, for me, to waste no time in mourning, but to organize our class and march to victory." To friend and labor leader Big Bill Haywood he wrote "It is only a hundred miles from here to Wyoming, could you arrange to have my body hauled to the state line to be buried? I don't want to be found dead in Utah."

## 'LEGAL' MURDER

Joe was executed by a firing squad on the morning of November 19, 1915. He was shot to death because he was a member of the fighting section of the working class--the Wobblies.

His body was taken to Chicago. 3000 mourners jammed inside the chapel at his funeral while almost 30,000 stood outside in the streets. Joe was in a pine coffin draped in a red flag. The people joined together and sang the songs Joe Hill had written for the working people.

Joe Hill was one of the many people in this country that have been framed and murdered for defending and leading oppressed people in our fight for a better life. A lot has changed since 1915, but the frame-ups still go on. Ruchell Magee, Angela Davis and Billy Smith are all on trial for their lives. There are NO WITNESSES to the "crimes" they supposedly commited. Still, they can be convicted unless the people protect them. Free Ruchell Angela, Billy, and all political prisoners or the SKY IS THE LIMIT.

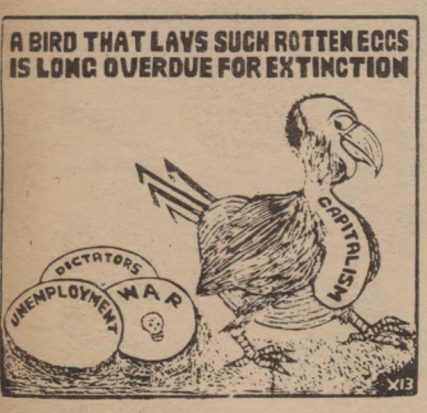
--taken from Pamoja Venceremos

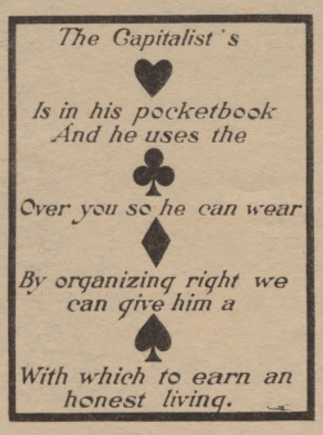
## MY LAST WILL:

My will is easy to decide,
For there is nothing to divide.
My kin don't need to fuss and moan
"Moss does not cling to a rolling stone."
My body? Oh! - If I could choose,
I would to ashes it reduce,
And let the merry breezes blow
My dust to where some flowers grow.
Perhaps some faded flower then
Would come to life and bloom again.
This is my last and final will.
Good luck to all of you.

Joe Hill

**CAPITALISM AND IMPERIALISM HAVE GONE THROUGH MANY CHANGES IN THE PAST 50 YEARS. BUT THE MAJOR CONTRADICTIONS ARE STILL THE SAME. THESE I.W.W. CARTOONS FROM THE EARLY 1910's and 1920's SHOW SOME OF THE SAME THINGS THAT WE SEE EVERY DAY: LIES AND DISTORTIONS IN THE STRAIGHT PRESS, UNEMPLOYMENT GOING UP, ELECTIONS BEING RUN AND CONTROLLED BY THE RULING CLASS, WAR MAKING THE RICH GET RICHER WHILE THE POOR ARE DYING, AND ON AND ON AND ON.**

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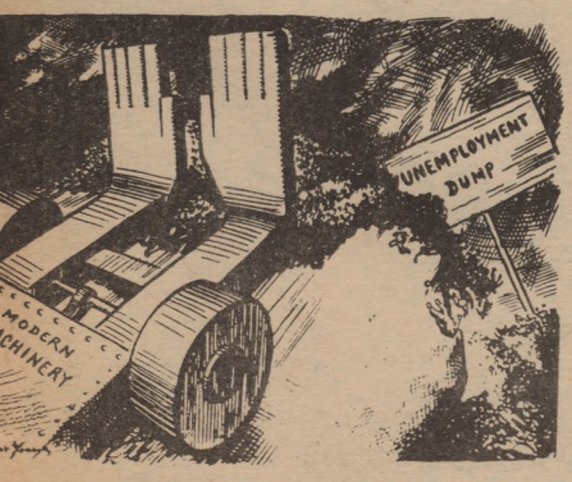
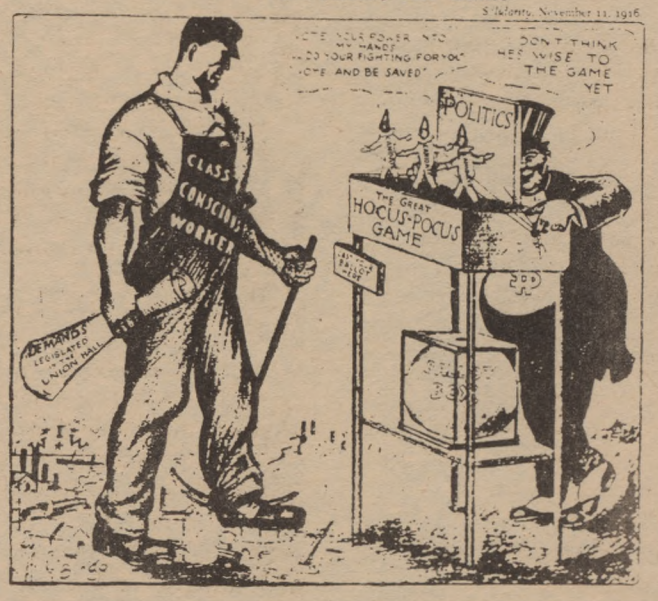
Is in his pocketbook
And he uses the
Over you so he can wear
By organizing right we can give him a
With which to earn an honest living.




WHICH PAPER DO YOU SUPPORT?

Now He Understands The Game



# To all my sisters who know the fear of being followed, harassed, attacked or raped.

The first time I was ever hasselled sexually was when I was only 11 years old. Me and my girlfriends used to tell dirty jokes and think about sex, but nothing much beyond that. So you can imagine the effect of a grown man trying to rape me at that age. I was so naive that I thought he really wanted directions when he kept asking me to come closer to his car. When I was right next to the door, I noticed that his pants were open and pulled down. He grabbed at me but I split as fast as I could run. After that, every night, for about 2 weeks I had the same nightmare over and over and even today I can remember the details of his face. The other thing I remember is being very embarrassed. I only told a few close friends and whispered it to my mother - so my father didn't hear.

As I grew older - there were more experiences, both for me and most of my girlfriends. Men grabbing us on the L, men looking at us like we had no clothes on and asking for pussy. Each time I'd get madder, but I was afraid to do anything and too embarrassed to make a scene. So I kept the anger inside and split.

This went on for a long time until I was about 19. One day I was walking down a flight of stairs when some man, who was walking up the stairs, stuck his hand up my skirt and grabbed me. I was so furious that my first reaction was to slug that creep as hard as I could. So I did. He was so surprised, that he took off. But more than surprising him, I surprised myself, because I was so mad I wasn't scared. After that day, when guys would follow me, I'd look them in the eye and call them the most degrading things I could think of. Once, I spit in a particularly insulting guys face. Each time, I knew I was taking a chance because there's always the guy who will get more viscious when you stand up to him. But you just can't continue to take that kind of abuse without loosing respect for yourself.

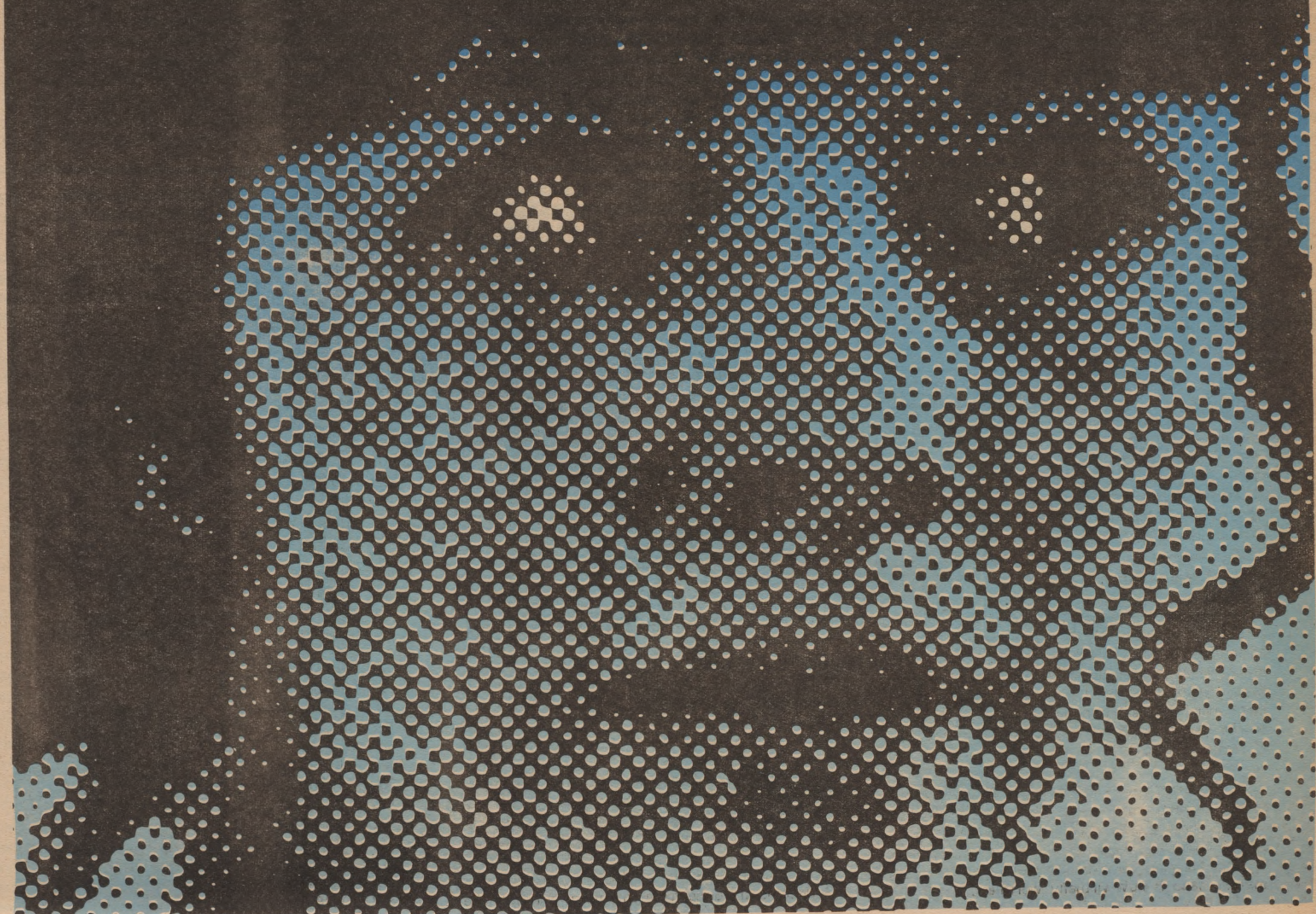
Now, I am over 21 and a revolutionary and I still walk down the street kind of checking over my shoulder and trying to avoid unlit streets. I still get angry that I have to feel so uptight about being alone and walking down the street at night and when I hear stories about women, whether they're 10, 20 or 80, being raped and brutalized it raises a fury inside of me. But, because I am a revolutionary, I recognize the contradiction and my hatred is not only for rapists but for this monster society that produces them. A society that says the only successful men are those who own and control things - and have a lot of things to show - like a new GTO; or an air conditioned high rise office; or a big new house; or a lot of dope; or the most far-out clothes. But in real life, the way things are under capitalism, only a small group of rich men can control anything. Everyone else is controlled, by the boss, a teacher, the pigs, a sargeant, or whatever. And since no one likes to feel put down (to feel like they haven't made it), guys in America try to take it out on their girlfriends, their wives or their kids by trying to control them. When I understood this, I understood that rape was taking that attitude and frustration a step further. Because, if a Guy thinks he can run your life, that means you're not his equal - you're something inferior, something that can be pushed around and beat on at will, something that you can yell insults at and grab at whenever you feel like it, something - some object that can be raped and strangled when the frustrations are out of control.

So what I understand now, and what a lot of other sisters are beginning to understand, is that we have to fight back. That means that whenever we see a guy copping an attitude - treating another sister like a piece of meat and taking his frustrations out on her, we've got to call him on it. We've got to rap to him about saving his anger and his frustrations for the real enemy, rather than taking it out on a sister. We have also got to get hip to self-defense to protect ourselves from guys who don't listen and continue to attack us.(If you're attacked physically - you're much better prepared if you have learned some karate. If you're attacked with a knife - you have to be prepared to respond the same).

To the brothers, all I can say is, get hip to the idea that a sister hates being treated like a piece of meat. Sisters don't dig the idea of being raped. For many sisters, it's feared more than death. Too many times there are remarks from guys like, "Oh, I thought girls dug being raped." Do you dig being beaten by the pigs? Comments like, "Chick" "Broad" "Bitch" "Hole" are dehumanizing and degrading and there isn't a sister in the world who likes it. We have to support each other and respect each other and for a beginning we want to be called by our names and if you don't know someones name, call her sister. In case there is any confusion, girls hate being treated like an "object" and it's not enough to treat sisters better yourselves - you have to call other brothers on it when they are messing sisters around. We have to fight together for a better life in this country but if you fight us we will fight back!

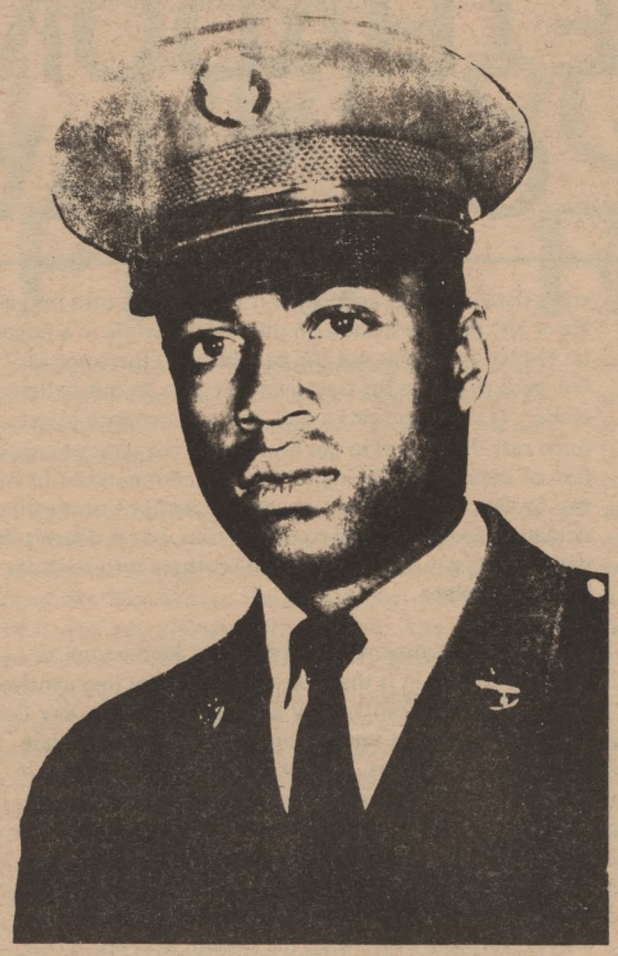
**ALL POWER TO THE BROTHERS AND SISTERS WHO STAND TOGETHER AND FIGHT THE REAL ENEMY!**

**ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE!**



# FREE BILLY SMITH

Brother Billy Smith is a black GI who is being tried for a fragging incident that occurred March 15, 1971, in Ben Hoa, Vietnam. Two lieutenants were killed and a third was wounded. Because Billy Smith is poor, black, opposed to the war and the army (and therefore considered a troublemaker) he was charged with murder. The only evidence against Billy is a grenade pin that was found in his pocket. The grenade pin has nothing linking it to the grenade that killed the officers. Because the brass is trying to legally murder Billy and use him as an example of what the Army does to "troublemakers", a huge movement to Free Billy Smith has grown among both civilians and GIs.



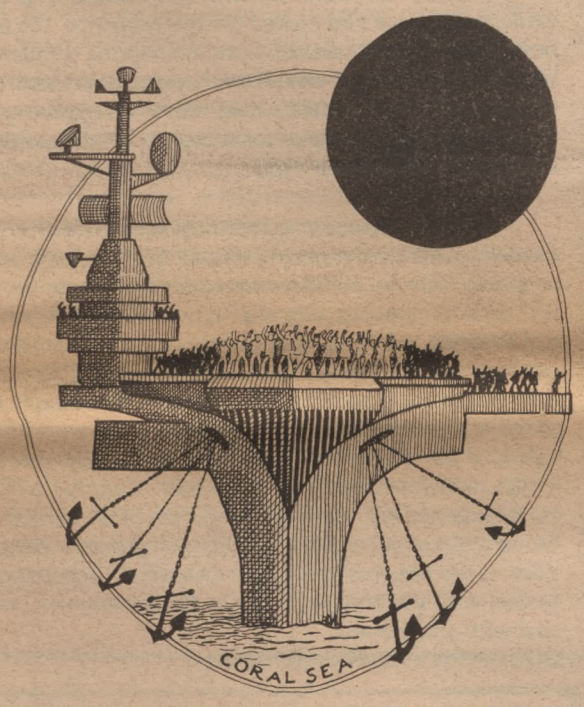
One of these organizations, The Billy Smith Defense Committee, along with Billy's family, have chosen to fight in the court by legal means. They feel his innocence can be proven in the courts.

However, GIs all over the country have lost faith in the courts and the military and feel that the only way to win freedom is to wage a "people's war" against the lifers and against the US ruling class. One group of GIs at Ft. Ord formed a group called GI Guerrillas and issued the following statement:

"We are a group of dissident GIs at Ft. Ord. We firebombed Billy Smith's new courtroom, which burned an outer wall before being put out. We destroyed a trainee indoctrination theater to give Gen. Westmoreland a warm welcome to Ft. Ord, as well as to create a distraction for another group of us to rip-off an arms room. We destroyed the HQ of the 91st infantry. Our actions are a result of the oppression all GIs live under. They were sparked by the case of Billy Smith, and fueled by the military and police oppression of all poor, working and non-white peoples. We are fighting against US IMPERIALISM and its rotten capitalist society and for a people's revolution!"

RIGHT ON BROTHERS!
FREE BILLY SMITH!
FREE THE GIs!
FREE THE PEOPLE!

# GI'S ON THE MOVE




## USS CORAL SEA

On November 12th an aircraft carrier, the USS Coral Sea, left Alameda Naval Air Station in California on its way to Vietnam. For some weeks before the ship was to leave several sailors aboard the ship had tried to prevent the ship from sailing. They started a "Stop our ship" campaign and circulated a petition demanding that the Coral Sea not be sent back to Vietnam. The petition was signed by 1200 sailors. So, when the ship finally did sail it had a crew of 1200 unwilling sailors and 35 crewmen (including 3 officers) stayed behind - refusing duty in Vietnam.

One of the officers, Lt. James Lanius, explained why he didn't go. "My first commanding officer wanted to keep the Coral Sea in a record breaking spirit by dropping 50 tons of bombs on the enemy in a single day. He was informed by his intelligence people that there were not enough targets for this much ordnance, but he wanted a 50 ton day regardless of the number of targets available...

"In several years of bombing, all that we have actually accomplished is the destruction of people, many civilians and to cause tremendous damage to the natural landscape, much of which is irreparable. We have blown holes so wide and deep with our ordnance that the land is now virtually worthless...

Sisters and brothers of "Pamoja-Venceremos" show support and solidarity with the brothers of the USS Coral Sea.

"Our defoliants have spread over much larger areas than anticipated and have left tremendous tracts of unprotected land to be torn away by erosion. In all respects, we have turned much of the "enemys" land into desolation with little effect on our so-called war effort."

The "Stop our ship" movement has just begun but it has a lot of support from both sailors and civilians. When the Coral Sea docked in Honolulu, on November 24th, 53 more sailors jumped ship.

The government is very uptight about this resistance on the air craft carriers because the pentagon plans to withdraw ground troops from Indochina and increase the bombings. This is,in effect, escalating the war and bringing more destruction to the people of Indochina. More than ½ of the bombing raids in Indochina are done from aircraft carriers like the USS Coral Sea. So, as the resistance spreads, the US war effort will be hurt considerably. As the brothers put it: "The crew of the attack aircraft carrier, USS Coral Sea, have decided to help stop the war by stopping their ships."

And the movement to stop the ships is spreading rapidly. In October, there was a "Stop our ship" campaign aboard the USS Constellation, which sailed from San Diego, California. Then there was the Coral Sea. In January the USS Hancock will be sailing from Oakland and there is a "Stop our ship" campaign beginning there. If we want to end the war, it's up to all of us, GIs, civilians, everyone, to support these courageous brothers who are trying to Stop their Ships to End the War! Without sailors - the ships can't sail!

POWER TO THE SAILORS WHO RESIST!
STOP THE SHIPS!
STOP THE WAR NOW!

# METHADONE: CURE OR SLAVERY?

Everybody knows somebody on smack. Everybody knows a lot of somebody's shootin' up. A lot of somebody's - tryin' to be nobody - tryin' to feel no pain - tryin' to "mellow out" in the middle of the monster. Brothers just back from Nam, sisters of brothers just back from Nam, brothers and sisters with a lot of energy that's been drained in the competition for survival. Brothers and sisters who are very smart, in fact, smart enough to know that they have no future under capitalism. But, they're still messed up by capitalist values and they look for a way out alone, they try to escape instead of fighting back.

There are over 300,000 addicts in this country. Where does the dope come from for all these addicts? A lot of it comes in right under the government's nose and some of it comes from the government's hands. (We recently ran an article that ran down the CIA's involvement in importing heroin into this country. The facts that we used in the article came from Ramparts magazine and some naive Senators, Muskie for one, were shocked by this report. They confronted some government officials with this scandal but they were ignored). There are a lot of reasons the drug traffic in this country benefits the government. One is that when people are near the boiling point because of the impossible conditions in the country (and millions are) heroin will put them out of action. Well, that is, the search for heroin will keep them busy. Another thing is there's an awful lot of bread to be made in the drug market and we all know that the fat cats that run this country will do anything for a buck. Now, because there are so many addicts robbing to support their habits, there is national concern over drug addiction and "in the interest of stopping crime" (not helping people) two kinds of drug programs have government backing. Methadone maintenance and therapeutic community. The methadone backers say that addicts have a physical addiction and they can treat addicts with a substitute (which is legal) for heroin. The therapeutic people say the addict is suffering from a personality deficiency and they try to change the character of addicts totally. There is plenty of money to be made in both of these programs, on the administrative end of course. So, today we have a brand new "industry" in America - the drug addiction treatment industry. This article deals with the methadone maintenance corporation.

Methadone maintenance has been glorified as being the prime treatment available to addicts. Methadone is a narcotic, it is a substitute for heroin. It is given in small dosages and gradually the dosage is increased until a blockade dosage is reached. The theory behind this program is that once a blockade dosage is reached, an addict will not crave heroin or feel any effect if he shoots it into his veins. He or she may be started on methadone while in a hospital (which is usually not the case because there are very few beds available for treatment) or is in an out-patient clinic. If she or he gets a bed, there is a chance to get some rest, food, and to get away from the direct temptation of seeing drugs being sold in our communities from day to day. Methadone prevents the addict from feeling sick and needing to steal to buy heroin, but it doesn't deal with the reason many sisters and brothers turn to drugs in the first place.

The government's acceptance of Methadone as opposed to heroin is that methadone is very inexpensive. It costs about 13 cents a day per addict. In this way they can keep the addict under control in order to decrease the number of crimes. The government is interested in preventing "crimes", not in rehabilitating addicts. Although counseling and psychiatric services are available, it is not enough. For example, one psychiatrist is in charge of two clinics, which may have a total of 300 or more patients. If a patient has a serious problem it is usually detected only when the patient acts up. Then she or he is placed on tranquilizers for a few days and that is all, until the next time he loses control again.

In order to reinforce this method of treatment, some doctors have concluded that once a person has been addicted to heroin, he will have a deficiency in his system which must be filled by methadone. This has not been proven; but those who advocate Methadone Maintenance insist on it. Patients who have been on the program for a few years may apply for counselor-type positions. They are paid a high salary and given some prestige. They then talk with the patients and convince them that they need methadone. Because they do not want to lose their jobs, they will defend the program and its theories.

Our sisters and brothers are subjected to treatment by racist people who have no understanding of their culture and constantly tell them what they have to do to 'improve themselves': "Get a job!" when there are no decent jobs available. "Move out of that neighborhood" when those are the only places we are allowed to live.

It is very clear that emphasis is being placed on the quantity of people being treated (the city pays a certain amount to the program per visit of each patient) and the quality of the treatment is suffering. With so many of our sisters and brothers strung out, why is it that we are not allowed to choose the best treatment programs? We must realize that drugs are keeping our people from being able to fight against this system which created the conditions that forced them to turn to drugs.

So the methadone program is bei ng pushed all over the country without enough investigation to see that people taking this "legal" drug are not physically damaged by it. A brother was put on the program without any investigation on the part of the program administrators. It turned out that his already bad physical condition was aggrivated by the methadone and he almost died as a result of it This is not an isolated case - they push the program so heavy - on everyone - indiscriminately.

Another brother had been addicted to heroin for several years and he was in very bad physical shape as a result of the life he led and the drugs he took. He went on the methadone program and was able to kick his habit. His health has gotten much better and his life has changed to the point that he can hold a job and eat well. But, he has kicked one habit for another because he is totally dependant on methadone. And the people in the program and the pigs who know the names of everyone who is on the program, lean on him to inform on other addicts. They harass him and use him to harass others. It's a question as to how much better off he is now.

Back in the streets, brothers and sisters who are taking methadone are hassled by the neighborhood pigs for shake downs. "Come up with some bread once in a while, or I'll have you kicked off the program." It's pretty heavy since the withdrawal from methadone is much worse than the withdrawal from heroin. Some don't make it. The government's next move will probably be to think of a way to make some money off developing a cure for a methadone habit.

As long as drugs or substitutes such as methadone are being used by the people we will be kept weak and unable to fight for self-determination and liberation. It's hard to come up with alternatives for people who feel so down that they have to "shoot up." But we will not stop trying. There are a lot of revolutionaries who have been able to work it out and kick their habits throu gh the love of the people around them along with their own love for the people. They have gotten together in groups in different parts of the country and they are trying to expand their experiences to help other addicts. We will be running a story on one such group in New York in the near future. In the meantime - a good way to deal with the drug problems in the community is to deal with the pushers.

GODDAMN THE PUSHERMAN!

PLAN WOULD CHANNEL MORE $$$ TO DOCTORS, HOSPITALS & INSURANCE COMPANIES

# NIXON PROPOSES HEALTH PLAN RIP-OFF

Do you ever wonder why medical care in the richest country in the world is so lousy? Did you ever think about how old people (over 65) get "medicare" benefits and still have to pay more cash for medical care than any other citizens? Did you every get angry when you hear about a baby being turned away from a hospital and dying (or almost dying) because her parents didn't have medical insurance?

Nixon has proposed a new health plan for the nation with the slogsn, "Health Care for Everyone" --- but who is everyone? Our president's main job is being the servant of the huge industries like GM, Standar Oil, Lockheed and Blue Cross -- the basis of our whole economy and society. So what is he doing saying his plan will provide health care for everyone? Take a look:

The problem is that national health insurance will be set up to funnel money out of the pockets of workers and taxpayers into the pockets of the men who now run (and misrun) the medical industry - the doctors, the hospital administrators and the medical industrial complex, which fattens up on people's illness. Nixon's plan will turn out to be more expensive for the working people all over the country. If you earn more than $5,000 a year (a family of 4) you will be required to pay insurance premiums at your job. The boss will pay 65 - 75% and you will pay 25 - 35% of the premium - together, about $290 a year. When you get sick, or need to see a doctor, you pay for the first 2 days in the hospital, plus the first $100 per person in your family - up to $300. Then you will have to pay 20% of all the bills you get up to $5,000. So most people with a small medical problem, will be just as bad off as they are now, probably worse. You figure the average small family with 2 kids, spends about $100 - $200 per year on medical bills if everyone is fairly healthy, plus dental costs. With htis new insurance, you'll run up that much before the end of the year just on insurance, and you'll still be forced to pay at least $100 - $200 before the insurance starts paying when you need to see a doctor. You'll have to have a major catastrophe (over $5,000 within one year) before this kind of insurance will really help. Most people will want to wait til they're really sick befoe seeing a doctor. But that's the whole idea of Nixon's plan. If this sounds a little like Blue Cross, don't be surprised, because Blue Cross will run the whole program nationally - if Nixon's plan goes through.

Everyone will pay the same amount of insurance, whether you're working on the docks loading trucks, or you're the president of the company. So again, this will hurt working people.

If you earn between $3,000 and $5,000 a year (a family of 4) you will get the same bad coverage as above and be required by law to buy insurance from a private company like Blue Cross. The government will pay for part of it, and you will pay for part of it. The insurance company doesn't care where the money comes from, as long as they get it - but the main idea is that the money will all go into a private insurance company. So the government will be paying these private companies to insure their profits and the people have nothing to say about any of this.

If you are on welfare, the government will pay a private insurance company for your insurance, but you will receive about the same as you get now - one or two doctor visits per month, hardly any medicine, no dental care, etc. In fact, none of the health plans for all classes of people, will cover things like dentists, psychiatric care or drugs.

So, what all this means for the health insurance industry, is that 35 million Americans who don't have a any medical insurance now, will be legally required to buy it. Pretty good racket for the insurance companies!

Hospitals are really up-tight because with their outrageous prices, patients can't pay. So Nixon's plan would make it a cinch for the hospitals to collect their bills. Blue Cross is run by the American Hospital Association (AHA). They share one office on Lake Shore Drive downtown. It is more or less the collection agency for the hospitals in the country. So with everyone owning a health insurance policy, the hospitals could just call on Blue Cross and a few other companies to pay their bills. And who sets the bill? The doctors and hospitals, represented by the American Hospital Association. This is what you call monopoly capitalism.

Nixon is saying to the American people that his plan will serve the people more fully - but what's really going to happen is that the people will get more fully ripped off! The medical system will be in the hands of private industry, even more, and the people will have no control at all. His plan (it's not really just Nixon's plan, but the plan of all the conservatives in the country) would encourage Health Maintainence Organizations - groups of doctors and hospitals organized under one corporation, that would service a certain number of people, with pre-paid fees. This is already happening all around the country, but in Nixon's plan, the government would give these corporations money (collected from the people in taxes) to start out. These HMO's would be run by the corporation and responsible only to themselves.

What these tremendous corporations will do is to discourage people from coming in just for a simple ch check-up. They'll encourage big operations, but make people really cost-conscious about everyday medical needs. Actually that is where they'll make their greatest profit: by making people buy insurance and then letting them use it only when they need a major operation, or a kidney machine. As a matter of fact, Nixon is already telling the Health, Education and Welfare Department to spend money to develop computers for figuring out what medical problem you have. And who will be able to afford these multi-million dollar machines? The big corporation hospital complexes. You'll drive into the doctor's office and press a button to tell "it" that you have a back ache.

So, actually, what will happen when this plan goes into effect, is that there will be less health care, because people will be discouraged from using the facilities that are there. The facilities will be just as far away and hard to use as they are now, since there is no plan for reorganizong the way people receive their care. There is no plan to help provide us with more doctors and almost no money going to medical school scholarships (a drop in the bucket compared to what's going into profits for the insurance and hospital industry.)

The real winners will be the insurance companies (Nixon's ex-business partners) that will definitely have their profits insured. Will all this stop medical inflation? Probably not until the drug companies and doctors and hospitals stop inflating their prices! Nixon is promoting sickness for our people!

-by the medical cadre of Rising Up Angry
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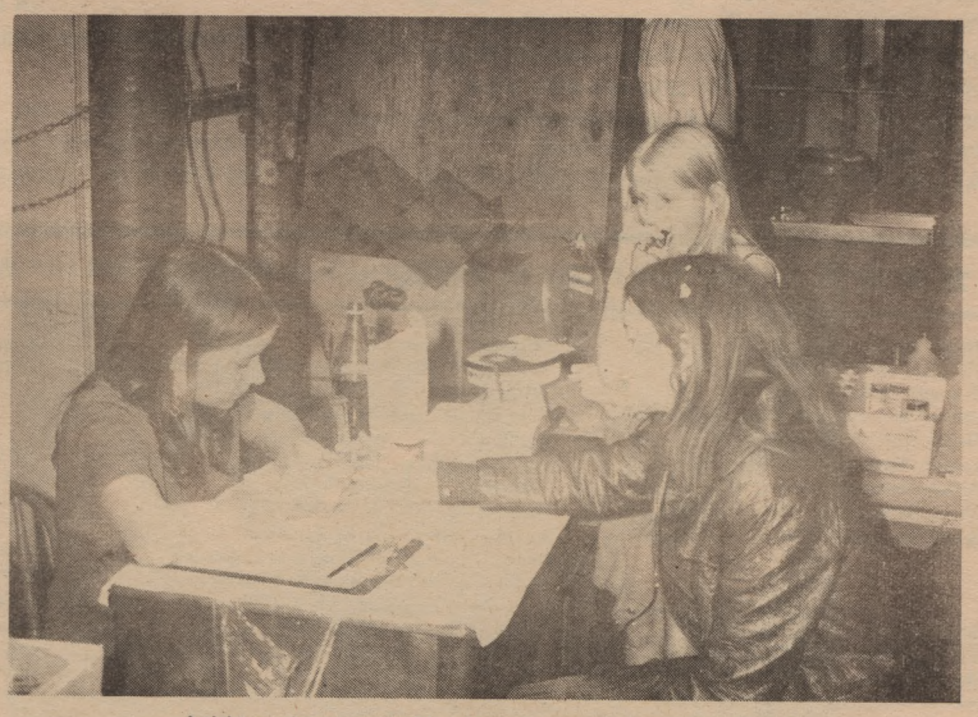

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Cafe Pergolesi - 3404 N. Halsted
Frogs n Flowers - 2512 N. Lincoln
Bradys Drugs - 2581 N. Lincoln
Modern Bookstore - 3230 N. Broadway
Garden Apt. Pharm. - 1400 N. Sedgwick
Books n Things - 930 W. Webster
Wildflower - 1533 N. Wells
SEED - 950 W. Wrightwood
Volume 1 - 1600 N. Wells
Book Box - 4812 N. Broadway
Barbaras Books - 1434 N. Wells
One Octave Higher - 2833 N. Broadway
Gramaphone - 2633 N. Clark
Kandles - 3318 N. Broadway
Chicago Women's lib Office - 852 W. Belmont
Vets Records - 5217 N. Clark
Lower Level - 1544 W. Chicago
Fullerton 'L' Stop - Fullerton & Sheffield
Haven Bookstore 2820 N. Broadway
Chicago Area Military Project - 2801 N. Sheffield

Hyde Park
Bob's Newstand - 51st & Lake Park
Newstand - 55th & Kenwood
Blue Gargoyle - 5655 S. University

South Suburbs
The Joint - 12452 S. Western, Blue Island
Route I Stereo - 14949 S. Halsted, Harvey

North Suburbs
Four Heads - 6744 N. Sheridan
Spectacle - 1307½ Chicago, Evanston
Strawberry Fields - 620¾ Washington, Waukegan
Abernathy's - 6437 N. Caldwell
Soundtrack - 157 N. Northwest H'wy., Park Ridge
G. I. Coffeehouse - 697 Lakewood, Lake Forest
Jackson Books - 1563 Devon, Chicago
Hip Pocket Boutique - 1201 N. Elmhurst, Prospect Hts.
Headquarters - 8106 N. Lincoln, Skokie
Haven Bookstore - 5550 N. Broadway, Rogers Park
Haven Bookstore - 7614 N. Ashland, Rogers Park
People's Place - 1227 Broadway, North Chicago
Bottom Half - 7608 N. Ashland, Chicago
Chambers - 760 Western, Lake Forest
Strawberry Corp. - Clark & North Shore, Chicago

# RISING UP ANGRY

## *programs to serve the people*

Rising Up Angry serves the people in as many ways as we can. Besides our newspaper that gives revolutionary news from around the city, the country and the world, we have programs that help us deal with the problems that people have to face every day. Our office is at 2744 N. Lincoln Avenue and our phone is 472-1791. Please contact us if we can serve you and your family in any way.

LEGAL PROGRAM

Our legal program includes advice for: housing problems, arrests and beatings, military and draft problems, and hassles in general. Lawyers are inexpensive and sometimes free. The legal clinic is at the Angry office every Wednesday night, 7 to 9 pm. Call Rising Up Angry for more information.

FREE HEALTH CARE

Rising Up Angry is working with the Fritzi Englestein Free People's Health Center at 2747 N. Wilton Avenue. The clinic provides every kind of medical care---free---it is open now of Tuesday nights (6 to 9 pm), Wednesday night (6 to 9 pm), and Saturday afternoons (1 to 4 pm). Call 348-8578.

FOR OUR SISTERS

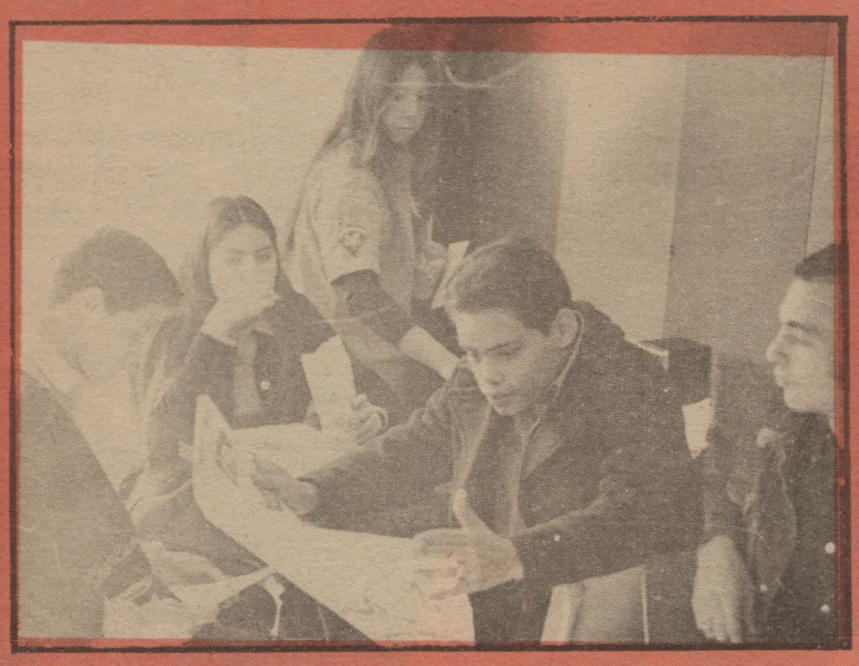
Our sisters try to meet some of the special problems that women face. The services now are: Welfare and legal counseling - Wednesday nights - 7 to 9pm at 2744 N. Lincoln Avenue (divorces, unwed mothers, juveniles, etc.) // Pre-natal and pediatric care at Fritzie Englestein Free People's Health Center - Tuesdays - 6 to 9pm; Saturday - 1 to 4pm at Diversey and Wilton - call 348-8578 // Abortion Counseling - call Jane - 643-3844.

RAP SESSIONS

Rising Up Angry must have daily contact with the people of Chicago if we are to continue to develop programs that meet the needs of people and develop the clear political direction that will result in All Power to the People! Members of Rising Up Angry will go any place to talk with brothers and sisters about the revolution, what's happening in schools, neighborhoods and shops and what people can do to advance the revolution. We will come to classes, churches, factories, playgrounds, parks, schoolyards, peoples' houses or street corners, to talk with any number of people. To arrange a rap session, call Rising Up Angry 472-1791.

The people need your help. If your afternoons are free you can come into the office and meet someone to sell papers with. If your evenings are free you can work at the Clinic or on the Legal Program . . . You can work on the Sister's Program anytime. If you have any money to spare it will be used to keep all the programs going. Please call us and help serve the people. All of our programs have a place for you.

**2744 LINCOLN AVE. 472-1791**



# people's dance 1972

A CELEBRATION TO WELCOME IN THE NEW REVOLUTIONARY YEAR!

1972 - the year of unity!

SATURDAY - JANUARY 1st
4pm to 2am
IWW HALL
2440 N. LINCOLN AVENUE

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Syndicate of Soul
Black Water Gold
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